



14 May 1976.

Dear Berent:

on my return from a long  
trip overseas. I found your letter for which  
many thanks. The newspaper article was not  
accurate as I had handed George Bush  
an undated letter of resignation in January.  
I have been in the Army for 35 years and in  
this job for 4 and felt it was time to move  
on. I do not yet know what I will  
do but it will certainly not be a spectator  
role. I will be in New York sometime  
and will give you a ring.

With Thanks and Every  
good Wish.



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Dear Dick:

Needless to say, my thoughts have frequently been with you over the years, particularly when I run into Brazilian friends and, more recently, when I saw Stephen Low, who is now a staff member of the National Security Council. I was especially happy to read the enclosed clipping from the New York Times this morning and wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your outstanding record with the important organization in which you continue to serve with the same dedication as always.

I am sure that your many friends and admirers in Brazil, some of whom go back to the war years like myself, share the feelings which I am trying to express in this letter. We owe a great deal to you for the good relations which we continue to enjoy with that great country.

With best wishes for continued success,

Sincerely,



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